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Preface

The purpose of the preface in the volumes of the *Bibliographies of New England History* is to explain the rationale and history of the project, and the means by which it is being accomplished. Both may be matters of interest to serious users of this bibliography and to the historical community. To the best knowledge of those of us on the Committee for a New England Bibliography, this series is the first regional historical bibliography with a reasonable claim to comprehensiveness to be compiled in this country. As such, it constitutes a landmark in American historical scholarship.

How the project came about and how it is being carried forward may be of equal significance. A more detailed account of the origins and history of the project down to 1981 appeared in the preface to the previous volume in the series, *Vermont: A Bibliography of Its History*. In brief, beginning in 1968 a group of college history teachers, librarians, and historical society and museum personnel concerned about the lack of bibliographical keys to the vast historical resources of the region formed a committee to compile and publish a multi-volume bibliography of New England history. The committee formulated a publication plan, editorial guidelines, and a strategy for securing financial support. In 1970 it was incorporated as a non-profit, tax exempt organization. In those beginning years, the cost and complexity of the project, and the lack of models, made for heavy going and slow progress. One of the thorniest problems concerned the scope of the bibliography, which loomed as potentially almost without limit. We wished to include as much historical material as we judged practicable to undertake, material that would be of the greatest use to the greatest number of researchers, and

to compile a bibliography that, though necessarily limited, would have a clear identity and be comprehensive within its defined limits. The result was a decision to limit the bibliography to printed works written as history or having an historical dimension or nature. Details of our editorial guidelines on inclusion are explained in the introduction to this volume.

By 1972, the committee had acquired funding that enabled it to obtain a full-time editor and begin work on the first volume. Two years later we signed a contract with G. K. Hall & Co. for publishing the series. Another two years and the volumes began to appear in print: Massachusetts in 1976 with 13,520 entries, Maine in 1977 with 5,355 entries, New Hampshire in 1979 with 6,542 entries, Vermont in 1981 with 6,413 entries, and now Rhode Island with 4,125 entries. Dr. John D. Haskell, Jr. edited the first two volumes. He also co-edited the New Hampshire volume with Dr. T. D. Seymour Bassett, who went on to edit the Vermont volume. Dr. Roger Parks began his labors as editor with the beginning of the work on the present volume. All three editors have been members of the committee since its early years.

In addition to moving the focus of the project from Northern to Southern New England (crossing what Jonathan Daniels thought of as New England's Mason-Dixon Line) we have since 1981 made several changes in how we are doing the project. Each of these was made to maintain or improve our performance and the quality, uniformity, and availability of the series. First, developments in the industry have now allowed us to do what we did not find practical at the beginning of the project, that is, to utilize the assistance of a computer. Although working out the necessary programing has taken time, the ability to call up,

sort, and edit all or part of the file of entries as work on the volume progresses has expedited both the search and editorial phases. Secondly, after a decade of experience, the committee transferred the administration of its National Endowment for the Humanities grants to Boston University, where the editorial office has been located all along. This change has improved our administrative arrangements, and allowed the committee to make better use of the University's facilities, especially its Academic Computer Center. Dean Michael Mendillo of the Graduate School and Dr. David Berndt of the Office of Sponsored Programs were both particularly helpful during the rather complicated negotiations to make this change. Thirdly, the committee has secured a new publisher for its series, the University Press of New England. The committee made this change in order to ensure the continued availability of all its published volumes in the years ahead. Our editors at G. K. Hall & Co., Elizabeth Kubik and Meghan R. Wander, were understanding and helpful in the process of accomplishing this change. Despite all these changes, the essential guidelines, the standards, and the administrative and scholarly apparatus by which these bibliographies are being compiled and produced remain basically unchanged although, one should say, enhanced.

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Kudos notwithstanding, the committee has endeavored to heed criticisms and suggestions for improving its series. It is a constant challenge to the committee's editors and editorial board to interpret and apply our guidelines so as to make each of the volumes as comprehensive and useful as possible, and at the same time maintain the consistency that is essential to a series. As in the past, the committee very much wishes to have

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Consistent with this fact and policy, I have usually avoided mention of the contributions of individual members in these prefaces. Nonetheless, a few exceptions to this policy are justified. Dr. Edward T. James has served in the important capacity of Editorial Vice Chairman since 1976, and the four volumes, including the present one, published under his oversight have all benefited from, and reflect, his meticulous care and high editorial standards. The same four volumes have benefited from the design work of A. L. Morris, of Phoenix Publishing. In publishing matters, the committee has also profited greatly from the advice and guidance provided by William A. Frohlich, of Northeastern University Press. Albert T. Klyberg, of the Rhode Island Historical Society, has served the cause of the committee in many ways since 1969, not the least by the patient confidence he exhibited that the project would eventually reach Rhode Island. Essential to the success enjoyed by the committee to date has been the contribution of such members as these.

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Humanities and from new sources of matching funds, then it will unquestionably be successfully completed.

Finally, what can be said about the larger significance of the *Bibliographies of New England History*? I wrote in the preface to the first volume that the series should serve as an instructive example of how, even in times of social disorders and economic distress, scholarly projects of merit but with no special allure or modishness can still be accomplished by the voluntary, cooperative

efforts of individuals and institutions. Perhaps I should have added that those cooperative efforts assume and depend upon the health and stability of the institutions in question. Two years ago, I wrote that the existence and fate of such efforts had acquired a new importance and urgency. Since then, the committee's experience confirms the continued existence of a very challenging atmosphere for a research project in the humanities, but it also suggests some of the possibilities for coping.

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May 29, 1983

Foreword

An Appraisal of Rhode Island Historiography

The focus of history writing can range from the global to the local—from Arnold Toynbee's civilizations to the history of a particular New England town. American scholars, drawn to national themes and new modes of analysis, have for the most part paid little attention to state and local history. Yet just as the best history is built upon a carefully researched set of particular details, so, in a sense, must national history rest ultimately upon local history. The assembling and recording of this grassroots history has so far been left largely to amateurs: individuals proud of their town, family, or group; history buffs fascinated by a particular era, place, or event. Though such writers sometimes lack perspective and sometimes stress the odd or colorful, they have served a wide nonscholarly audience eager to learn about the past of its own locality, and the information they have recorded has provided groundwork for broader scholarly studies. The New England Bibliography series, of which this volume is a part, seeks to make the whole range of published writing about the region's history available to interested readers, researchers, and scholars, amateur and professional alike.

The purpose of this Foreword is to appraise the present state of Rhode Island's published history and to suggest some needs and opportunities. One need, in some cases, would be a broader and more detached perspective. Local pride can lead to exaggerated claims. Rhode Islanders have been told that "the Revolution started here," or that Rhode Island was "the first colony to declare independence in 1776 and the last to ratify the U.S. Constitution in 1790, holding out until the Bill of Rights guaranteed individual liberties."

Another need is greater attention to the nineteenth and twentieth centuries as against the co-

lonial years. State and local histories tend to emphasize a golden, mythic youth—pioneer days in the West and Midwest, the colonial era in the Atlantic states—rather than the complex, unglamorous more recent past. As the present bibliography attests, Rhode Island historiography has shared this imbalance. Such an emphasis has hindered an understanding of the state's present social, urban, and industrial situation. It has also led to exaggerated claims of the influence of the colonial period upon the state's subsequent character and development.

To be sure, the colonial experience did produce an individualistic, independent spirit which Rhode Islanders still hold dear, and which is symbolized by the statue of the "Independent Man" on top of the state capitol. The tumultuous beginnings of the original towns, established by determined individualists and refugees from more orderly societies elsewhere, produced an "other-mindedness" in Rhode Islanders. This independence manifested itself in an unwillingness to cooperate with each other, with other Rhode Island towns, with other colonies, with the British government, or with the United States government. Subsequent events and developments have served to reinforce this trait. Deep divisions emerged between the descendants of the original settlers and the waves of immigrants who began to arrive in the nineteenth century, and lesser ones separated the various immigrant groups. Attention to preserving one's place or to carving out a turf has perpetuated or recreated the independent-mindedness (that is, lack of cooperation) that characterized the seventeenth century founders. In the nineteenth century, the Yankee establishment fixed the governmental institutions to deny access and power to the immigrant, ethnic population. Then in the 1920s and 1930s

came the "Bloodless Revolution" which overthrew the Yankee political power; but the once-deprived have spent much of the succeeding period indulging in the politics of gratification.

A clear continuity exists between the colonial era and the nineteenth century in political and constitutional matters. Many of the most contentious issues of the first half of the nineteenth century in Rhode Island involved problems and forces in place at the time of the American Revolution. Such problems as constitutional reform, taxation, broader suffrage, and competition between agrarian and commercial interests played themselves out in the new century, at least until the time of the Dorr War (1841).

Rhode Islanders, however, have tended to exaggerate the national importance of their colonial achievements. The state may claim certain distinctions and contributions, but the ones that mattered to the nation are probably not the ones which Rhode Islanders have traditionally asserted. Generations of Rhode Islanders have maintained that Roger Williams and Rhode Island blazed the way to religious and individual freedom in America. Rhode Island was certainly distinct in its colonial religious liberty and in being the freest, most independent of all of Great Britain's North American colonies, but whether these qualities exerted influence beyond its own borders is debatable. Indeed, they contributed to the colony's reputation among outsiders as the "licentious republic" and "Rogue's Island." The state's main impact on the rest of the nation came generally through oceanic commerce, and particularly through the African slave trade. Only in the last decade has the history of this trade received the attention it deserved, especially in Jay Coughtry's *The Notorious Triangle: Rhode Island and the American Slave Trade, 1700–1807* (1981).

Above all, emphasis upon the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries has tended to divert attention from the profound transformation of Rhode Island from a society based on agriculture and oceanic commerce into the nation's first urban, industrial society. Indeed, the state's entire economic history has been inadequately studied.

Rhode Island has undergone three economic transformations and is in the throes of a fourth. It began as an agricultural society in the seventeenth century and, according to Carl Briden-

baugh in *Fat Mutton and Liberty of Conscience: Society in Rhode Island, 1636–1690* (1974), created an exportable surplus in sheep, horses, and other such products. During the eighteenth century, as available farm land ran out, the focus of enterprise and fortune-building shifted to oceanic commerce. Newport, the principal beneficiary of the agricultural phase of Rhode Island history, used this advantage to dominate the second or oceanic phase. The "Providence Plantations" lagged behind as they were affected and afflicted by the persistent border disputes, Indian troubles, and a thin and stony soil.

The third phase of Rhode Island's history began with independence from Great Britain and the subsequent economic dislocation. The search for new sources of wealth pulled Rhode Islanders in many directions, including a reentry into the slave trade, new ventures in China trade, and a search for oceanic markets in every corner of the world. The future of Rhode Island, however, lay not on the seas but at home. Surrendering some of their independence in 1790 for the benefits of trade, tariffs, and national markets within the expanding United States of America, Rhode Islanders built turnpikes, bridges, stagecoach lines, canals, and railroads. In this new phase the economic and political center of Rhode Island shifted from water-bound Newport to Providence. The best present study of this shift is an increasingly outdated book by Peter Coleman, *The Transformation of Rhode Island, 1790–1860*, published twenty years ago (1963).

Providence leaders pressed to take advantage of the new opportunities. Samuel Slater's mill ushered in the industrial revolution which transformed Rhode Island from an agricultural, commercial state into the nation's first urban, industrial state. Over the course of the nineteenth century, Providence became the center of Rhode Island's industrial, commercial, financial, and institutional enterprise. Although the state had no hinterland, no natural resources, limited communications, and scarce capital, it became the home of some of the nation's leading industries; and Providence grew to be the nation's twentieth largest city in the 1890s. The city boasted of its "Five Industrial Wonders of the World," five factories that were the largest of their kind. These great plants stood among a myriad of smaller pro-

ducers who fabricated everything from blackboards to door springs, automobiles, and electric light bulbs.

During the 1920s Rhode Island entered the fourth phase, which commentators today call "deindustrialization." First, its leading industry, textiles, began to dissolve, leaving the state with empty mills in nearly every corner. Later the rubber industry, once a powerful and prosperous element in the state, withdrew. Except for the emergency years of World War II, the industrial tide continued to flow out from the 1920s to the 1980s. Of the twenty-one companies that had employed 1,000 or more workers in 1940, only two remained in 1983; and of the forty-seven that had employed 500 workers, only seven remained—all of them subsidiaries of larger corporations. Between 1950 and 1983 the number of industrial workers declined 20 percent.

The foregoing is an outline of mainly economic forces, but nearly every detail needs further investigation. A political outline would produce a different division and other stages, but much political history remains to be written as well. Social and intellectual histories would produce still another landscape. All of these different approaches need to be made and their results worked into a multi-volume general history of Rhode Island. Two recent single-volume studies, William McLoughlin's *Rhode Island: A Bicentennial History* (1978) and George Kellner and Stanley Lemons's *Rhode Island: The Independent State* (1982), constrained as they were by space limits and the need to appeal to a general audience, could offer only a broad interpretation. Not since the larger works of Edward Field (1902), Thomas Bicknell (1920), and Charles Carroll (1932) has the state's history received an extensive treatment. The half-century that has elapsed since the most recent of these is one sixth of Rhode Island's entire history and includes the crucial era of deindustrialization, depression, World War II, and Democratic party dominance. Perhaps the Rhode Island Historical Society should undertake the production of a new multi-volume history with a particular scholar assigned to write each volume. In this way Rhode Island would fill a void and help attract professional historians to the field of state and local history.

Certainly Rhode Island's local history could

use such attention. Scarcely any of the state's 39 cities and towns has a careful, scholarly history. The Bicentennial produced a few such efforts, but with the exception of Joseph Conforti's *Our Heritage: A History of East Providence* (1976) and Walter Nebiker's *History of North Smithfield* (1976), these were little more than sketches, picture books, or tour guides. The reports of the Rhode Island Historical Preservation Commission, which are primarily surveys of the architectural resources of the towns, have included historical sketches of at least thirty towns and sections of cities. But no substantial history has yet been written of Newport, once the fifth largest town in British America and co-capital of Rhode Island until 1899. If one were to judge by the existing publications, as listed in this bibliography, the "mystery" of the old Stone Mill (with 34 entries) is more important than the role of black slavery in Newport (10 entries).

Coverage of Afro-Americans is perhaps improved when one considers the history of the whole of Aquidneck Island, for there are an additional 25 items about the Battle of Rhode Island in 1778. Rhode Island's black regiment fought a successful rearguard action in the battle, which allowed the retreating colonials to escape capture by the British; but some accounts barely mention the black role. Black history fares little better in Providence: only now are scholarly studies being made of its black population in the early nineteenth century. In fact, the whole of Rhode Island history, from beginning to end, is almost untouched by the new social history. Only currently, in the work of Bruce Daniels and others, are the techniques of aggregate data being applied, using tax rolls, voting patterns, land and water use, census records, and social and class analysis. Daniels has characterized most local history so far written as being about "charming people living in charming towns." But the story must also include poverty and poor relief, land use and litigation, murders and migration. One still looks for studies of social stratification, institutional development, Yankee-immigrant accommodation, and inter- and intraethnic conflict for every group and period.

It is something of a cliché to say that the first wave of history-writing anywhere usually produces biographies of prominent persons, fol-

lowed by political histories, institutional histories, and, later, social histories. Except for Erwin Levine's two volumes on Theodore Francis Green and the older biography of Nelson Aldrich by Nathaniel Stephenson, where are biographies of the major figures since the Civil War? Some political history is appearing, such as Jay Goodman's *The Democrats and Labor in Rhode Island, 1952-1962* (1967), as well as articles in *Rhode Island History*, but the field is wide open. One would like a sequel to Goodman's book to trace the changing relationship of the Democratic party and the labor unions from 1962 to the present. Indeed, we lack a good general history of either of the state's two parties.

Other aspects that need study are the sources of party leadership and the political influence of industrialists. Prior to Norman Case's becoming governor in 1928, rarely did a lawyer (unless a corporation lawyer) sit in the governor's chair; but since Case, all chief executives, save for the present incumbent, have been lawyers. Surely this is a sign of the growing importance of the legal profession, but we have little knowledge of that profession in Rhode Island. We lack a general legal history of the state and have only a few studies of its constitutional conventions. The rise of lawyers in party leadership did not necessarily mean a decline in the political power of industrialists. Only now are scholars beginning to examine the process by which business and industrial leaders sought to shape Rhode Island laws and influence court appointments in order to create a more favorable environment for their enterprises. How did Rhode Island reach the point that led Lincoln Steffens to declare it "a state for sale"?

The literature on Rhode Island's industrialists and industries is surprisingly thin. In a state so shaped and dominated by major industries and by a powerful business leadership, it is appalling that we do not have a history of that leadership. What would studies of town growth and development reveal about the role of industrialists in locating plants and factories and in exercising power and influence in town governments? Rhode Island is dotted with the mill villages created by the entrepreneurial and industrial leaders of the nineteenth century. We lack good studies of mill villages, the role of early paternalism in them, or the development of entire complexes

based on industrial planning and good social relations, such as the predominantly English mill village of Greystone, in North Providence.

The story of Samuel Slater and the beginnings of the textile industry in America has been often told, but if one were to judge by much of the available literature one would think that Rhode Island's role in the industry ended with Slater. During one third of Rhode Island's history textile manufacturing was its leading industry, yet we still lack a good general history of that industry within the state. New Hampshire's Amoskeag may have been the largest single textile factory in the United States, and Fall River in Massachusetts may have become the city producing more textiles than any other, but no one surpassed the B. B. and R. Knight Company (Fruit of the Loom) as the largest textile company, with its nineteen mill villages and thousands of employees. Where are the histories of the giants of Rhode Island's textile industry, the Lippitts, Spragues, Sayleses, Knights, and Brown & Ives?

Many of these textile leaders deserve family histories as well as sound studies of their enterprises and their contributions to industry and marketing. James Hedges began the history of the Brown family, in *The Browns of Providence Plantations*, but died before completing the second volume. That story needs to be continued, for the Browns remain important to the economic and cultural history of the state. What about a study of the extended family networks of the Iveses, Goddards, Hazards, Robinsons, and other "first families" of Rhode Island?

Besides textile manufacturing itself, the related industries are waiting for their histories. Foundries, metal fabricators, makers of textile machinery, and stationary engine manufacturers, such as Sargeant, Harris & Green, and Corliss, are generally unstudied. Who could be more fascinating than George Corliss, the stubborn, eccentric, brilliant, and contentious inventor of the world's finest steam engine? We have little more than an occasional article, a philopietistic sketch of his life by a descendant, and an unpublished dissertation.

Closely related were the metal trades and the successful machine tool industries. Of these, two of the world's largest enterprises, Nicholson File and Brown & Sharpe, have no histories even though each revolutionized its respective indus-

try by inventions and mass production techniques. Rhode Island also has led the nation in the manufacture of jewelry and silverware, and such companies as Gorham are still in need of careful study and analysis. Although the rubber industry now barely exists in the state, some of the leading rubber manufacturers of Rhode Island shaped their respective communities, such as Bristol, and were influential in forming the United States Rubber Company, whose first two presidents, Joseph Banigan and Samuel P. Colt, were Rhode Islanders. The Colts were politically powerful; and LeBaron Colt served in the United States Senate, where he delayed the adoption of immigration restriction legislation until his death in the 1920s.

Rhode Island's industries were manned by thousands of immigrants. Articles in such journals as *Rhode Island History* and *Rhode Island Jewish Historical Notes* have thrown some light on the history of these immigrants, as have a few dissertations. But we still have only limited knowledge of their patterns of settlement, the structure of their communities and institutions, and their patterns of socialization with each other or with other groups, including those who controlled their employment. We have impressionistic information of immigrant economic mobility within the state, but no good studies of mobility across the generations in terms of occupations, housing patterns, and family patterns. Some immigrant groups, such as the English and Scots, entered the textile industry as "wet nurses" and skilled operatives; others worked as unskilled laborers and remained that way for several generations. Some, such as the French Canadians, are just beginning to break the textile-mill-village bond; others did so several generations ago. The Irish, the first immigrants, rose through political involvement and, after the 1935 Bloodless Revolution, through patronage employment. Some groups have been quite successful through close community ties and education; others succeeded by seizing the opportunities of catering to their own group's mercantile or service needs. We need to understand the process of immigrant economic involvement outside the mills and factories in order to understand the rise of ethnic businesses and industries.

The immigrants crowded into the mill villages and into the cities. Their arrival increased the de-

mand for housing, and studies are needed to understand the role of mill owners, private developers, and real estate speculators involved in the process of housing the immigrants. The physical remains of the intense growth are visible everywhere: double- and triple-decker tenements, mill row housing, and some of the most densely congested communities in the nation; but what was the quality of life in these cities and towns? What is the rate of immigrant or ethnic ownership of housing?

One of the major problems of twentieth century Rhode Island has been the decay of the inner cities. Depopulation, which saw more people leave Providence than any other city in America except one, had a profound impact on city and state ability to provide essential services. The declining revenue base resulting from factory closings, decayed, abandoned, and devalued property, and a growing elderly and poor population seriously crippled urban reform, revitalization, and planning. These forces and their relationship to the political process need serious study. Suburban communities reaped the benefits of the exodus from the older industrial cities after World War II. But we know little of the process: the inducements, the kind of people who left, how they financed their homes, and the consequences of the migration for urban services, schools, and recreational needs on the receiving towns. The best studies available are Sidney and Alice Goldstein's *Metropolitanization and Population Change in Rhode Island* (1962) and Sidney Goldstein and Calvin Goldscheider's *Jewish Americans* (1968), a sound sociological study of the Providence Jewish community and its dispersal. In recent years the historical preservation movement, neighborhood revitalization, and redevelopment have revived and restored substantial sections of several cities and towns. The visible signs of change are everywhere, but understanding the process, the movers and shakers, financing, and alternatives would add greatly to the knowledge of our cities' transformation.

Nearly every aspect of employment in the state needs study. Providence, while it has lost its retail and commercial hold on southeast New England, remains a governmental and financial center. Who works there? Who trains them? What sort of effect did the rise of white collar female employment have on the ethnic family, marriage

patterns, and mobility? Why was Rhode Island labor relatively docile, poorly organized, and ineffective throughout the nineteenth century; and why in the twentieth would the state become one of the most unionized in the nation? Did the rise of the Democratic party and its dependence upon the urban worker influence that change, or did a decline of nineteenth century ethnic conflicts and rivalries allow labor unity to develop? Ironically, unions became most active and militant at the time when the state's major employers were leaving the state. What role has organized labor played in the process of deindustrialization? It is known, for example, that Nicholson File Company elected to close its Rhode Island operations following a protracted strike. What accommodations have been made among labor, management, and government to retain the remaining elements of the state's industrial base?

If one longs for a study of the process of industrialization in Rhode Island, one must also crave an analysis of deindustrialization, and of organized efforts for economic development. What has been the effect of the costs of raw materials, transportation, and fuel; of declining markets, southern competition, conservative and unprofessional management and marketing, and external investment? Some have suggested that Rhode Island has plenty of investment capital, but that investors have sought higher yields in distant places, thus creating a capital scarcity that prevented bright young minds from developing their ideas. Rhode Island was tardy in establishing a professionally staffed, efficiently operated, and centralized economic development council, lagging as much as thirty years behind other New England states. The struggle to create such a council and its work and effect need to be told.

Rhode Island is surely the "Playground of New England." Although the story of High Society in Newport is widely known and ably told, the resorts of the not-so-rich, the working class, and day-trippers have not received adequate treatment. From Watch Hill on the western tip of Rhode Island, along the southern coast and up the Bay to Field's Point, Providence, and East Providence-Riverside, and down to Sakonnet in Little Compton, Rhode Island's shores have teemed with recreational sites and shore resorts for all levels of society. While the flamboyant rich of New York showed off in Newport, the more

discreet Philadelphians summered on Jamestown. New Yorkers engaged in the fine arts once had a visionary summer retreat near Westerly called Musicolony. Narragansett Pier and the southern beaches served the not-so-wealthy; the genteel middle class were entertained at places like Rocky Point. One historian described the East Providence-Riverside area of Narragansett Bay as the "Coney Island of New England" because of its large amusement parks, such as Crescent Park and Vanity Fair. Here working class families thronged and enjoyed the glitter and excitement of shows, games, and rides. Changes in taste and interest, hurricanes, and water pollution have eliminated nearly all of the shore resorts and amusement parks. An exacting study of their rise, decline, and fall remains to be written. One wonders also what relationship these summer communities, like Oakland Beach, had to the development of permanent settlements along the coast.

Resorts are part of economic as well as social history. Rhode Island today touts itself as the Ocean State and emphasizes recreation and tourism as a form of industry. But the history of that industry remains to be traced. Neither the efforts of businesses, such as steamship lines in the nineteenth century, nor those of the Automobile Association, nor those of the state itself have been told. Such a study would have to examine the building of roads, highways, interstate freeways, and bridges as well as the active promotion of tourism by the state government. Finally, Narragansett Bay is not only a recreational resource; it is also the workshop of the clam and oystermen, fishermen, and ship builders. These activities have been secondary to the recreational uses of Rhode Island waters, but they are not insignificant. Water pollution, of such intense current concern, is not new; eighty years ago it was already destroying the clam and oyster industry as well as the dining halls that served those world-famous Rhode Island shore dinners.

If Rhode Island's fisheries have been largely ignored by historians, so has its agriculture. Rhode Island may be densely populated, but it is now mostly a forested state. When one considers that by the late eighteenth century nearly 80 percent of the land was cleared farmland, one realizes that the story of land use is as little studied as the use of Rhode Island's waters. Of particular merit

would be a study of suburban development, the filling in of rural spaces between mill villages in the Providence metropolitan area. The impact of the automobile on life styles and the growth of shopping malls and their impact on main streets and downtowns offer related possibilities for study.

State and local history helps to shape a state's self-image and to mold perspectives on contemporary life. As Richard Wohl and Theodore Brown wrote of Kansas City, "What people believe about

the history of their locale may shape their notions of how they ought to live in it and of the values they may hope to realize in the community." What Rhode Islanders think of themselves and their state has been fashioned and is being molded by what is written about their past. If those writings are incomplete or unbalanced, one must not be surprised at unsatisfactory undertakings or inappropriate responses. Much has been written, as the pages of this bibliography attest, but much remains to be done.

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Introduction

This volume lists published writings—books, pamphlets, magazine and journal articles—about the history of Rhode Island, its cities, towns, and counties, its people and their institutions. Within editorial guidelines that will be described shortly, we have tried to compile as complete a list of published historical writings as possible.

The varied works cited here were written by academic scholars, professional writers, and amateur historians. Some of the subjects dealt with are of broad, current interest to students, scholars, or general readers; others are of more local concern or reflect the interests of earlier generations of Rhode Island historians and their readers. In bringing these materials together, we make no qualitative judgment. Our purpose is to identify and make accessible the many scattered references and to suggest the kinds of information that can be extracted from them through careful use of this bibliography and its index of authors, subjects, and places.

This is the fifth in a projected seven-volume series of bibliographies of New England history. It was compiled under guidelines established by the Committee for a New England Bibliography in its early years and refined through experience with the four previous volumes.

To be included in this series, published writings must have been produced as works of history or include a significant historical dimension. They must have been written at least a year after the events they describe, and they must deal mainly with events within the state. Accounts of the 1938 hurricane and 1978 blizzard that appeared soon after the fact are thus excluded from this volume, as are combat histories of Rhode Island units in the Civil War and World War I. Certain classes of materials—with exceptions

to be described below—are also excluded: almanacs, directories, and guidebooks, for example; biographies and autobiographies; government documents; historical articles published in newspapers; genealogies; maps and atlases; works of fiction; juvenile literature.

“These exclusions, however,” as former editor T. D. Seymour Bassett explained in his introduction to an earlier bibliography in this series, “are not absolute. . . . We try to go beyond the form and determine the substance.” Each volume thus includes both collected biographies and a substantial number of individual biographies that in our opinion have something significant to say about some aspect of state or local history. We also include published documents that are accompanied by an historical introduction or scholarly annotations. While we make no attempt to search the many files of newspapers that might contain historical articles, we include a certain number of such articles—especially articles in a series—that have come to the editor’s attention.

In compiling this volume, the strategy once again was to start with large research collections within the state, then work outward to local libraries around the state and large collections elsewhere in New England. Rhode Island’s small size and small number of communities made it possible for perhaps the only time in the series to survey the holdings of at least one public library in every city and town. This local search turned up some materials that had not been found elsewhere. Most of the books and pamphlets cited here, however, are available in one or more of the major Rhode Island collections surveyed during the initial phases of the project: the Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence Public Library, and Brown University Libraries, in Providence; the Newport Historical Society and the Redwood Li-

brary and Athenaeum, in Newport; and the University of Rhode Island Library, in Kingston.

Elsewhere in Rhode Island, sizeable state and local history collections were found in a number of public libraries, especially those of Central Falls, Cranston, East Greenwich, Johnston, Newport, North Kingstown, North Providence, Pawtucket, South Kingstown, Warwick, Westerly, and Woonsocket. Noteworthy special collections are those of the Bristol Historical and Preservation Society; the U.S. Naval Historical Collections and U.S. Naval War College Library, in Newport; the Military Collection of Anne S. K. Brown, in the Hay Library, Brown University; the Rhode Island Jewish Historical Association, in Providence; the Chancery Office of the Diocese of Providence (Roman Catholic); and the Union Saint-Jean-Baptiste, in Woonsocket, which specializes in Franco-American history and culture. Two useful private collections are the architectural history holdings of Richard B. Harrington of Providence and the Roman Catholic parish histories collected by Fr. Robert Hayman, unofficial historian of the Diocese of Providence.

Outside of Rhode Island, some additional entries were found in the American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass.; the Boston Public Library, Massachusetts State Library, and New England Historic Genealogical Society, in Boston; and the Harvard University Libraries, in Cambridge, Mass. Finally, a search of the Library of Congress shelflist for Rhode Island yielded a few titles not found in Rhode Island or other New England libraries.

Almost without exception, the libraries surveyed for this volume granted us stack privileges. This made it possible to conduct the search volume-by-volume and shelf-by-shelf, examining each item before recording the bibliographical data and assigning index headings. Extensive use also was made of the card catalogs in most of the institutions.

As in earlier volumes, magazine and journal articles account for more than half of the Rhode Island entries. At the beginning of the *Bibliographies of New England History* project, a core list of national, regional, and state periodicals was thoroughly searched for titles pertaining to New England and each of its states. Titles were briefly noted at that time. Since then, as each state volume has been researched in turn, the core list has

been updated and the briefly noted articles pertaining to the state in question have been found and carefully examined before being cited. For this volume, a number of Rhode Island periodicals also were thoroughly searched. These included the publications of various historical societies, colleges and schools, professional societies, and trade organizations. Also searched was the *Rhode Islander*, Sunday magazine of the *Providence Journal*, which for a number of years published frequent articles about Rhode Island history. Abbreviations or initials have been used for the titles of periodicals frequently cited; for the full titles, see the list of Serial Abbreviations elsewhere in the introductory matter to this volume.

Work on the Rhode Island volume began in late 1981, and we have attempted to compile a complete list of relevant works published up to the end of that year. Although this is our official cut-off date, we have also included, as opportunity offered, a number of 1982 titles and a few published in early 1983.

As in the rest of the series, entries in this volume are organized geographically, with separate sections for state, county, and local listings. Works pertaining to more than one town appear under the appropriate county; those relating to more than one county are included in the state section. The "see also" references at the end of many county, city, and town listings are a guide to these boundary-spanning materials.

Under each geographical heading, entries are arranged alphabetically. Works by the same author are listed in alphabetical order by title, followed by any titles written by that author and a collaborator. A dash at the beginning of an entry means that the work was written by the author of the preceding entry. Where an author's name has been determined from information other than the title page, it is enclosed in brackets.

Author and corporate-author entries have been preferred in most cases. Edited and compiled works are given a title entry, unless it is evident from the text that the "compiler" should instead be regarded as an author. Otherwise, the editor's or compiler's name follows the title.

Titles or imprints, when not shown on the title page or verso, appear in brackets. Where there is more than one edition, the most recent or best one is cited, and the date of the first edition, if known, appears in parentheses after the title.

Pagination indicates the last numbered page, with substantial unnumbered pages shown in brackets.

The index lists authors, editors, and compilers, and also provides access to scores of different subjects. As in previous volumes, we also have identified a number of place names in the index, whether or not those places are subjects of works cited in the bibliography.

Starting with this volume, we give one library location for each book and pamphlet entry. Previously, we provided locations only for titles not listed in the various editions of the *National Union Catalog* (NUC). That series, however, is not readily accessible to some of our readers; it has become increasingly cumbersome to search; and it sometimes fails to list a location that most readers would find useful. We compared Rhode Island titles with the NUC listings and have provided a plus sign (+) to identify titles found in the NUC. Readers who wish to consult that source for additional locations may find the effort rewarding.

Library locations are indicated by standard library symbols. For a list of those used in this volume, see the section of Location Symbols. The locations cited in this volume reflect the order in which libraries were surveyed. Since the Rhode Island Historical Society has the largest collection of books and pamphlets on Rhode Island history and was the first library searched, the majority of book and pamphlet entries carry its symbol

(RH*i*). Many titles, of course, are also available in other libraries. Readers should refer especially to the Rhode Island and New England collections mentioned above. A local-library symbol at the end of an entry means that it is less likely that the title also will be found in one of the major collections. Readers outside of Rhode Island may also wish to refer to the published lists of the local history holdings of the Harvard University Library, Library of Congress, and New York Public Library. These lists are cited under Supplementary Bibliographies and Guides, the section immediately preceding the index.

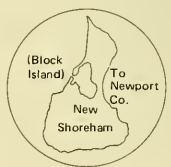
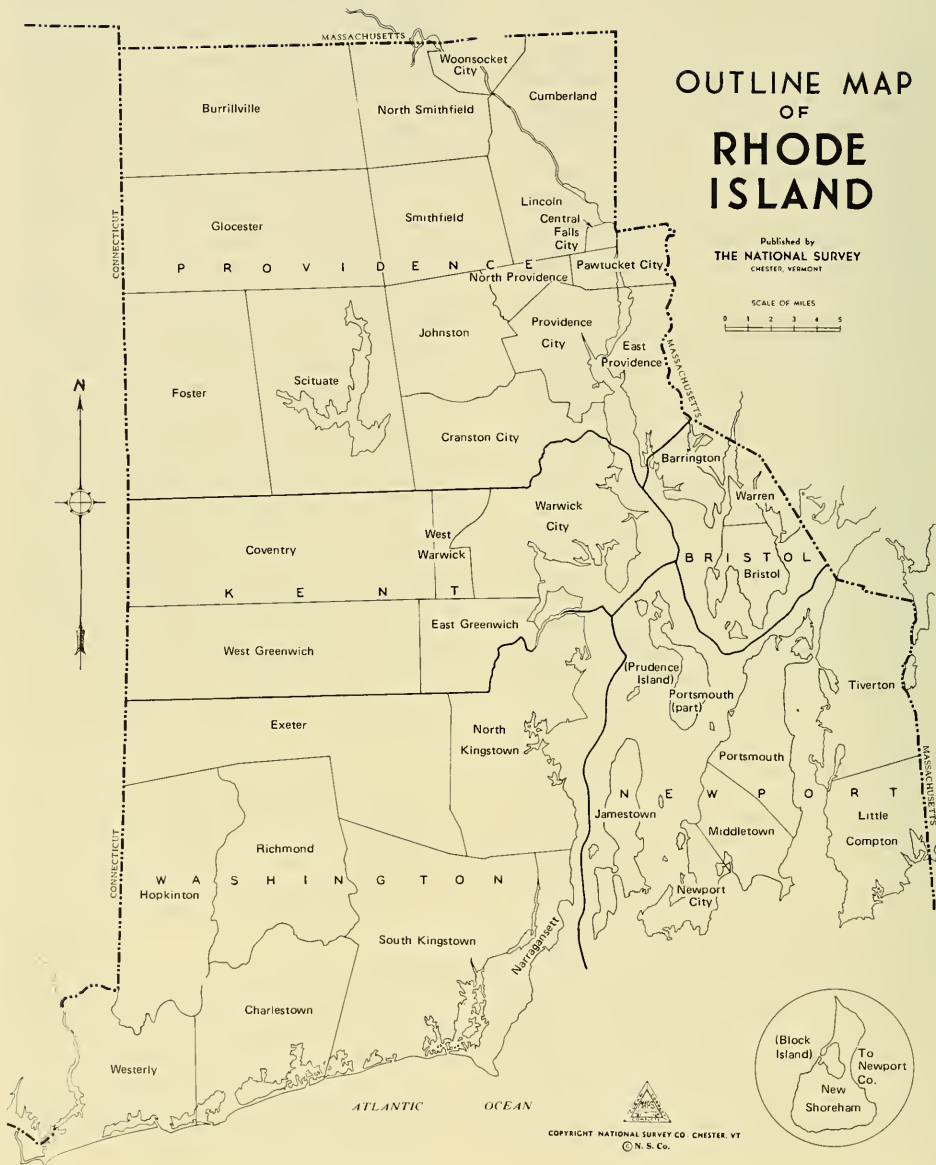
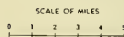
In searching for the journal and magazine articles listed here, readers should also be familiar with the *Union List of Serials*. This work lists libraries that own runs of a particular periodical.

This, as we have mentioned, is the fifth in a projected seven-volume series. Volume seven, which will deal with New England as a whole, will include some works not cited here that relate jointly to Rhode Island and another New England state. As planned, volume seven will also include additions and corrections to each of the state volumes and will list unpublished doctoral dissertations relating to each New England state. Readers of this volume should also be aware that the Rhode Island Historical Society plans to publish a listing of dissertations on that state's history in its journal, *Rhode Island History*, probably in 1984.

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New Shoreham
North Kingstown
Richmond
South Kingstown
Westerly

Serial Abbreviations

Only those titles for which abbreviations are used in this volume are listed. This is not a complete list of serials searched or cited.

BN	<i>Book Notes</i>
BrAlumMo	<i>Brown Alumni Monthly</i>
BTJ	<i>Board of Trade Journal (Providence)</i>
CHSN	<i>Cranston Historical Society, Newsletter</i>
JHSB	<i>Jamestown Historical Society, Bulletin</i>
NEM	<i>New England Magazine</i>
NG	<i>Preservation Society of Newport County, Newport Gazette</i>
NH	<i>Newport History</i>
NHM	<i>Newport Historical Magazine</i>
NHR	<i>Narragansett Historical Register</i>
NHSB	<i>Newport Historical Society, Bulletin</i>
PBTJ	<i>Providence Board of Trade, Journal</i>
PJC	<i>Providence Journal of Commerce</i>
PM	<i>Providence Magazine</i>
PMJ	<i>Providence Medical Journal</i>
PR	<i>Pettaquamscutt Historical Society, Pettaquamscutt Reporter</i>
Rler	<i>Rhode Islander (Sunday magazine, Providence Journal)</i>
RIH	<i>Rhode Island History</i>
RIHM	<i>Rhode Island Historical Magazine</i>
RIHSC	<i>Rhode Island Historical Society, Collections</i>
RIHSPr	<i>Rhode Island Historical Society, Proceedings</i>
RIHSPubs	<i>Rhode Island Historical Society, Publications</i>
RIJHN	<i>Rhode Island Jewish Historical Notes</i>
RIMJ	<i>Rhode Island Medical Journal</i>
RIY	<i>Rhode Island Yearbook</i>
WHSR	<i>Westerly Historical Society, Records</i>
WRICHSH	<i>Western Rhode Island Civic Historical Society, Hinterlander</i>
WRICHSP	<i>Western Rhode Island Civic Historical Society, Proceedings</i>

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DLC	<i>Library of Congress, Washington</i>
M	<i>Massachusetts State Library, Boston</i>
MBNEH	<i>New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston</i>
MH	<i>Harvard University Libraries, Cambridge, Mass.</i>
MWA	<i>American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass.</i>
R	<i>Rhode Island State Library, Providence</i>
RBr	<i>Rogers Free Library, Bristol</i>
RBrHi	<i>Bristol Historical and Preservation Society</i>
RBuH	<i>Jesse M. Smith Memorial Library, Harrisville (Burrillville)</i>
RCe	<i>Central Falls Public Library</i>
RCo	<i>Coventry Public Library</i>
RCr	<i>William H. Hall Free Library, Cranston</i>
REaG	<i>East Greenwich Free Library</i>
RFo	<i>Foster Public Library</i>
RGl	<i>Glocester Manton Free Library, Chepachet</i>
RHi	<i>Rhode Island Historical Society, Providence</i>
RJa	<i>Jamestown Public Library</i>
RJo	<i>Marian J. Mohr Memorial Library, Johnston</i>
RLit	<i>Brownell Library, Little Compton</i>
RMi	<i>Middletown Public Library</i>
RNHl	<i>Newport Historical Society</i>
RNR	<i>Redwood Library and Athenaeum, Newport</i>
RNW	<i>U.S. Naval War College Library, Newport</i>
RNW-Hi	<i>Naval Historical Collection, U.S. Naval War College, Newport</i>
RNeS	<i>Island Free Library, New Shoreham</i>
RNoK	<i>North Kingstown Free Library, Wickford</i>
RNoP	<i>North Providence Union Free Library, Centerdale</i>
RP	<i>Providence Public Library</i>
RP-Harrington	<i>Richard B. Harrington, Providence</i>
RP-K	<i>Providence Public Library, Knight Memorial Branch</i>
RPB	<i>Brown University Libraries, Providence</i>
RPB-ASKB	<i>Military Collection of Anne S. K. Brown, Brown University</i>
RPC	<i>Providence College Library</i>
RPD	<i>Archives, Diocese of Providence (Roman Catholic), Chancery Office, Providence</i>
RPD-H	<i>Archives, Diocese of Providence. Collection of Fr. Robert Hayman, unofficial historian of the diocese</i>
RPJ	<i>Rhode Island Jewish Historical Association and Bureau of Jewish Education libraries, Providence</i>

RPRIC	<i>Rhode Island College Library, Providence</i>
RPa	<i>Pawtucket Public Library</i>
RScN	<i>North Scituate Public Library</i>
RSmG	<i>Greenville Public Library, Smithfield</i>
RSoKPea	<i>South Kingstown Public Library, Peace Dale</i>
RSoKPet	<i>Pettaquamscutt Historical Society, Kingston</i>
RTU	<i>Union Public Library, Tiverton</i>
RWa	<i>Warwick Public Library</i>
RWe	<i>Westerly Public Library</i>
RWeW	<i>Robert W. Champlin Memorial Library, West Warwick</i>
RWo	<i>Harris Public Library, Woonsocket</i>
RWoU	<i>Union Saint-Jean-Baptiste, Mallet Library, Woonsocket</i>

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